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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni Chief Clerk/Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina P.O. Drawer 11649 Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re:

Petition of BellSouth Telecommunications, Incorporated d/b/a AT&T South Carolina for Review of NANPA NXX Code Assignments in the Seneca Rate Center **Docket No. 2008-171-C**

Mr. Terreni:

The Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") has reviewed the above referenced Petition and finds that the public interest will be served by granting BellSouth Telecommunications, Incorporated dba AT&T South Carolina's ("AT&T South Carolina" or "Company") Petition. Our review revealed that the North American Numbering Plan Administration's denial of AT&T South Carolina's request for additional numbering resources will negatively impact the ability of the Company to provide services requested by Duke Energy Corporation. Thus, ORS supports this Petition.

Best Regards,

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